#### Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

#### **Listing of Claims:**

1. (Currently Amended) A holder for attaching additional parts to a pipe/rib block of a heat exchanger and/or for supporting the heat exchanger, wherein the pipe/rib block comprises two end faces which are arranged parallel to one another, and side faces, or side parts, wherein the holder comprises:

a clip connection of two <u>plastic lockable</u> clamping elements which can be latched to one another, and which hold the pipe/rib block between the two clamping elements;

wherein each clamping element comprises a pressing face which can be pressed against the end faces, wherein each pressing face comprises two protruding limbs; and wherein each protruding limb comprises holding elements one of the end faces of the pipe/rib block,

wherein one of the two clamping elements comprises latching arms which engage over the side faces, and the other of the two clamping elements comprises holding pockets which receive the latching arms,

wherein each pressing face comprises a horizontal series of protruding, pointed holding elements which can be pressed into the end faces, and

wherein each pressing face further comprises two protruding limbs spaced apart from each other with a vertical series of protruding, pointed holding elements.

## 2. (Canceled)

- 3. (Currently Amended) The holder as claimed in claim [[2]] 1, wherein the latching arms comprise sprung tongues with latching projections.
- 4. (Currently Amended) The holder as claimed in claim [[2]] 3, wherein the holding pockets comprise ramps for introducing the tongues and latching faces for locking the latching projections.

- 5. (Currently Amended) The holder as claimed in claim [[2]] 1, wherein the horizontal series of pressing faces comprise protruding, pointed holding elements which can be pressed into the end faces on each pressing face is located at a central region between their respective two protruding limbs.
- 6. (Currently Amended) The holder as claimed in claim [[5]] 1, wherein the <u>vertical</u> series of protruding, pointed holding elements are each arranged at a distance from the pipes of the pipe/rib block.
- 7. (Currently Amended) The holder as claimed in claim [[5]] 1, wherein the horizontal series of protruding, pointed holding elements are arranged in series, parallel to the pipes.
- 8. (Currently Amended) The holder as claimed in claim 1, wherein at least one clamping element comprises an attachment and/or supporting means support.
- 9. (Currently Amended) The holder as claimed in claim 8, wherein the attachment and/or support supporting means comprise holding pins.

### 10. (Canceled)

11. (Withdrawn) A holder for attaching additional parts to a pipe/rib block of a heat exchanger and/or for supporting the heat exchanger,

wherein the pipe/rib block comprises two end faces which are arranged parallel to one another, and side faces or side parts,

wherein the holder comprises a clip connection of two clamping elements which can be latched to one another, and which hold the pipe/rib block between the two clamping elements; and

wherein the holder supports the heat exchanger.

# 12. (New) A heat exchanger comprising:

a pipe/rib block comprises two end faces which are arranged parallel to one another, and side faces; and

a holder for attaching additional parts to the pipe/rib block and/or for supporting the heat exchanger,

wherein the holder comprises a clip connection of two plastic lockable clamping elements which can be latched to one another, and which hold the pipe/rib block between the two clamping elements;

wherein each clamping element comprises a pressing face which presses against one of the end faces of the pipe/rib block,

wherein one of the two clamping elements comprises latching arms which engage over the side faces, and the other of the two clamping elements comprises holding pockets which receive the latching arms,

wherein each pressing face comprises a horizontal series of protruding, pointed holding elements which presses into the end faces, and

wherein each pressing face further comprises two protruding limbs spaced apart from each other with a vertical series of protruding, pointed holding elements.

- 13. (New) The heat exchanger as claimed in claim 12, wherein the latching arms comprise sprung tongues with latching projections.
- 14. (New) The heat exchanger as claimed in claim 13, wherein the holding pockets comprise ramps for introducing the tongues and latching faces for locking the latching projections.
- 15. (New) The heat exchanger as claimed in claim 12, wherein the vertical series of protruding, pointed holding elements are each arranged at a distance from the pipes of the pipe/rib block.
- 16 (New) The heat exchanger as claimed in claim 12, wherein the horizontal series of protruding, pointed holding elements are arranged in series, parallel to the pipes.
- 17. (New) The heat exchanger as claimed in claim 12, wherein at least one clamping element comprises an attachment and/or support.

- 18. (New) The heat exchanger as claimed in claim 17, wherein the attachment and/or support comprise holding pins.
- 19. (New) The heat exchanger as claimed in claim 12, wherein the horizontal series of protruding, pointed holding elements on each pressing face is located at a central region between their respective two protruding limbs.